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## **ONCE AGAIN... GLENDALE CIVIC CENTER VOTED #1 BY RANKING ARIZONA: THE BEST OF ARIZONA BUSINESS!**

**Glendale, Ariz.** — For the second year in a row, the city of Glendale's downtown conference center, the Glendale Civic Center, has been named the number one facility for meeting and convention venues of its size by *Ranking Arizona: The Best of Arizona Business*. The Glendale Civic Center is the only government-managed venue to make the list and outranked competition including nationally known corporate resorts. The business opinion poll at [www.aznow.biz/Ranking-Arizona](http://www.aznow.biz/Ranking-Arizona) features thousands of Arizona companies voted on this past year. The top-ranked 2000-plus businesses, such as the Glendale Civic Center, are featured in *Ranking Arizona's* annual publication.

"In the hospitality industry, customer satisfaction is critical to our success, and it is a tremendous honor to know that our customers continue to rank us as the very best in the state," said Mario Rochin, Acting General Manager for the Glendale Civic Center. "Whether it is a conference, wedding or executive meeting, our philosophy is to create the best experience for the client, and that philosophy has led to award-winning results, which are also a nice reflection on the city."

The Glendale Civic Center offers 40,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor meeting space for corporate events, trade shows, weddings and private parties. The facility brings an average of 62,000 guests a year to the downtown. Arizona Catering, a 25-year local business, is the venue's official caterer.

For the past six years, the Glendale Civic Center has ranked in the top five for meeting and convention facilities in the state. For more information about the facility, rental rates or catering menus, call (623) 930-4300 or visit [www.glendaleciviccenter.com](http://www.glendaleciviccenter.com).